

LAKE COUNTY HIGHWAY WEIGHT CONTROL ORDINANCE

Amended: AUGUST 14, 2001

## **RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS**, the Illinois Vehicle Code (*Chapter 625 of the Illinois Compiled Statutes*) provides for the limitations of weights of vehicles operating on the various highway systems in the State of Illinois; and

**WHEREAS**, the Illinois Vehicle Code provides the authority of the County Board of Lake County to further place limitations on the operation of vehicles and weights thereof on the County Highway System; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Board of Lake County from time to time has adopted by resolution or ordinance said limitations on the operation of vehicles and weight thereof; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Board of Lake County deems it in the public interest and for the safety of the motoring public to further codify, refine and establish said limitations on the operation of vehicles and weight thereof.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the County Board of Lake County, Illinois, hereby adopts the Lake County Highway Weight Control Ordinance;

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#### **SECTION I. Repeal of Previous Action**

All resolutions and/or ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed with the exception of those identified in SECTION II. The repealed resolutions include the following:

1. Resolution creating 6-ton weight limit roads dated July 1956.
2. Resolution creating 6 and 8 ton weight limit roads dated July 1985 and oversize and overweight permits and enforcement.
3. Resolution establishing garbage truck weight limits dated May 1985.
4. The following resolutions providing for the designation of County Highways as Class II Truck routes, Size Only:

No.	Road Name*	County Board Action
1.	Lewis Avenue	November 1988
2.	Sunset Avenue	June 1989
3.	Bonner Road	October 1989

\* Note: Refer to the appropriate County Board resolutions for the exact detail of these designations.

The penalty provisions of the resolutions and/or ordinances listed in SECTION II are repealed and the provision of Section VIII of this Ordinance, as amended, shall govern.

## **SECTION II. Saving of Previous Action**

The following resolutions and/or ordinances are hereby expressly not repealed by the adoption of this Ordinance:

A. The following resolutions providing for the designation of County Highways as Class II Truck Routes:

No.	Road Name*	County Board Action
1.	Casimer Pulaski Drive	February 1991
2.	Washington Street	March 1991

\* Note: Refer to the appropriate County Board resolution for the exact detail of these designations.

B. The following resolution providing for the designation of "No Through Truck" routes on a County Highway:

No.	Road Name*	County Board Action
1.	Old McHenry Road	April 1988

\* Note: Refer to the appropriate County Board resolution for the exact detail of these designations.

C. The following resolution providing for the seasonal weight limit reduction on the County Highway System:

No.	Road Name*	County Board Action
1.	Any County Highway	January 1961

\* Note: Refer to the appropriate County Board resolution for the exact detail of these designations.

D. The following resolutions providing for the establishment of fees for Oversize and Overweight Movements on the County Highway System:

No.	Name*	County Board Action
1.	Initial Fee Schedule	November 1988
2.	Revised Fee Schedule	November 1989

### **SECTION III. Designation of 6-Ton Weight Limit Roads**

A. The following portions of County Highways are hereby designated as to the maximum weight of vehicles to be operated upon said portions of County Highways per axle of 6 tons.

No.	C.H. No.	Road Name	From	To
1.	42	Cuba Road	Ill. Rte. 59	U.S. Rte. 12
2.	56	Duffy Lane	Riverwoods Road	A point 8,114' East of Riverwoods Road
3.	52	Everett Road	St. Mary's Road	Estate Lane
4.	49	Fairfield Road	Ill. Rte. 132	Petite Lake Road
5.	66	Gelden Road	Deep Lake Road	Grass Lake Road
6.	26	Gilmer Road	A point 6,155' east Of Illinois Rte. 120	Illinois Rte. 176
7.	2	Miller Road	Kelsey Road	U.S. Rte. 12
8.	32	Old McHenry Road	Ill. Rte. 22	U.S. Rte. 12
9.	51	Petite Lake Road	Ill. Rte. 59	Ill. Rte. 83
10.	58	Riverwoods Road	Deerfield Road	Ill. Rte. 22
11.	41	St. Mary's Road	Everett Road	Ill. Rte. 60
12.	55	Engle Drive	Ill. Rte. 83	N. Nathan Hale Drive
13.	55	Granada Blvd.	Genoa Drive	Ill. Rte. 132
14.	55	N. Nathan Hale Drive	Engle Drive	Genoa Drive
15.	55	Genoa Drive	N. Nathan Hale Drive	Granada Blvd.

B. The County Engineer shall have said portions of County Highways posted with appropriate signs as to the maximum weight limit of 6 tons per axle and said limitations shall not be effective until such posting is in place.

### **SECTION IV. Designation of Class II Truck Routes, Size Only**

This section has been deleted.

## SECTION V. Designation of Class II Truck Routes

In addition to the appropriate designations contained in Section II-A and II-B of this Ordinance the following portions of County Highways are hereby designated in accordance with Section 5/15-102(e), Section 5/15-107(e) and Section 5/15-111(g) of Chapter 625 of the Illinois Compiled Statutes.

NO.	C.H. No.	Road Name	From	To
1.	26	Gilmer Road	Ill. Rte. 120	A point 6,155 feet east Ill. Rte. 120
2.	20	Peterson Road	U.S. Rte. 45	A point 3,000 feet west of U.S. Rte. 45
3.	31	Rollins Road	Ill. Rte. 83	A point 3,350 feet east IL Rte. 83
4.	54	Martin Luther King Jr. Drive	U.S. Rte. 41	Ill. Rte. 43
5.	33	Aptakisic Road	U.S. Rte. 45/ Ill. Rte. 21	Buffalo Grove Road
6.	22	Delany Road	U.S. Rte. 41	A point 0.9 miles north U.S. Rte. 41
7.	27	Lewis Avenue	Ill. Rte. 137	24th Street
8.	69	Winchester Rd.	Ill. Rte. 21	2,075 Feet W. of Ill. Rte. 21
9.	17	Wadsworth Road	Ill. Rte. 131	A point 2,000 Feet E. of IL 131
10.	65	York House Road	Ill. Rte. 131	McAree Road
11.	57	Butterfield Rd.	Armour Boulevard	Allanson Road
12.	14	Millburn Road	U.S. Route 45	5600 feet east of
13.	27	Lewis Avenue	Ill. Rte. 173	27 <sup>th</sup> Street
14.	5	Quentin Road	U.S. Rte. 12	Ill. Rte. 22
15.	39	Alleghany	Peterson Rd.	3,120 Feet north of the centerline of Peterson
16.	20	Peterson Rd.	Ill Rte. 83	1,326 Feet west of the centerline of Alleghany
17.	45	Washington St.	U.S. Rte. 45	6,100 Feet east of U.S. Rte. 45
18.	17	Wadsworth Road	U.S. Rte. 41	A point 2,400 feet east of U.S. Rte. 41

## **SECTION VI. Oversize and Overweight Permits**

The County Engineer is authorized by this resolution and ordinance to issue special permits for excess size and weight on the County Highway System in accordance with Section 5/15-301 of Chapter 625 of the Illinois Revised Statutes, as amended, and with fees as provided by separate resolution of the County Board and as amended from time to time.

## **SECTION VII. Map**

The County Engineer may, from time to time, have published a map illustrating the limitations imposed by this Ordinance or any other County Highway Ordinances and as they may be amended from time to time.

The County Engineer may, from time to time, publish a short consolidated listing showing the weight limits as codified from the various County Board resolutions.

## **SECTION VIII. Posting**

The County Engineer shall post signs, as appropriate, indicating such limitations as imposed by this Ordinance, or any other related ordinance and as they may be amended from time to time.

## **SECTION IX. Enforcement**

The County Board of Lake County hereby authorizes the prosecution of the owner or driver or both of any vehicle operated in violation of this Ordinance in the manner provided by Section 5/15-112 of Chapter 625 of the Illinois Compiled Statutes, as amended. The penalty upon conviction of any provision of this Ordinance, in accordance with Section 5/15-316 of the Illinois Compiled Statutes, as amended, shall be as follows:

- A. Any person, firm or corporation convicted of violating any provision of this Ordinance for any weight exceeding the limit posted as provided by SECTION VIII hereof but not exceeding the axle or gross weight limit allowed a vehicle as provided for in subsections (a) or (b) of Section 5/15-111 of Chapter 625 of the Illinois Compiled Statutes, as amended, shall be fined \$50.00.
- B. Any person, firm or corporation convicted of violating any provision of this Ordinance for any weight exceeding the limit posted as provided by SECTION VIII hereof and exceeding the axle or gross weight limit allowed a vehicle as provided for in subsections (a) or (b) of Section 5/15-111 of Chapter 625 of the Illinois Compiled Statutes, as amended, shall be fined \$50.00 and \$75.00 per every 500 pounds or fraction thereof for any weight exceeding said Sections 5/15-111(a) or (b).
- C. Any person, firm or corporation convicted of violating any provision of this Ordinance on a highway not required to be posted as provided by SECTION IX hereof shall be

fined in accordance with the schedule in Section 5/15-113 of Chapter 625 of the Illinois Compiled Statutes, as amended.

**SECTION X. Separability**

If any court of competent jurisdiction shall adjudge any provision of this Ordinance to be invalid, such judgment shall not effect any provision of this Ordinance not specifically included in the judgment.

**SECTION XI. Amendments**

This Ordinance may be amended by the County Board; and other limitations as to the operation of vehicles and weights thereof on the County Highway System, or changes thereto, may be enacted by separate ordinance.

## **SECTION XII. Effective Date**

This Ordinance is effective upon passage by the County Board.

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